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HOUSE BILL 2094

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 41, CHAPTER 7, ARTICLE 12, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 41-1292.04; PROVIDING FOR THE DELAYED REPEAL OF SECTION 41-1292.04, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON HOMELESSNESS.

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1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 41, chapter 7, article 12, Arizona Revised Statutes,
3 is amended by adding section 41-1292.04, to read:

4 41-1292.04. Joint legislative committee on homelessness

5 A. THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON HOMELESSNESS IS ESTABLISHED.
6 THE COMMITTEE CONSISTS OF:

7 1. FOUR MEMBERS OF THE SENATE WHO ARE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF
8 THE SENATE, NO MORE THAN TWO OF WHOM ARE MEMBERS OF THE SAME POLITICAL PARTY.

9 2. FOUR MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES WHO ARE APPOINTED BY
10 THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, NO MORE THAN TWO OF WHOM ARE
11 MEMBERS OF THE SAME POLITICAL PARTY.

12 3. TWO PUBLIC MEMBERS WHO ARE APPOINTED JOINTLY BY THE PRESIDENT OF
13 THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

14 4. FIVE PUBLIC MEMBERS WHO ARE APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR.

15 5. AN ADVISORY MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE
16 DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY. THE ADVISORY MEMBER DOES NOT VOTE AND IS
17 NOT COUNTED FOR PURPOSES OF DETERMINING A QUORUM.

18 6. AN ADVISORY MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE
19 DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING. THE ADVISORY MEMBER DOES NOT VOTE AND IS NOT COUNTED
20 FOR PURPOSES OF DETERMINING A QUORUM.

21 B. MEMBERS WHO ARE APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR, THE PRESIDENT OF THE
22 SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SHALL BE APPOINTED
23 SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:

24 1. THE PUBLIC MEMBERS SHALL NOT BE EMPLOYEES OF THIS STATE.

25 2. AT LEAST FIVE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHALL BE INVOLVED IN
26 PROVIDING ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS FOR THE HOMELESS.

27 C. THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PRESIDENT OF
28 THE SENATE SHALL EACH APPOINT ONE MEMBER ON THE COMMITTEE FROM THEIR
29 RESPECTIVE BODIES TO ACT AS COCHAIRPERSON.

30 D. ALL MEMBERS SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THEIR APPOINTING OFFICERS.

31 E. THE LEGISLATURE SHALL PROVIDE STAFF, ADMINISTRATIVE AND TECHNICAL
32 SUPPORT AND MEETING SPACE TO THE COMMITTEE.

33 F. THE COMMITTEE SHALL:

34 1. SERVE AS A PUBLIC FORUM FOR THE PURPOSE OF DISCUSSING ISSUES
35 REGARDING CURRENT AND POTENTIAL SERVICES AND PROGRAMS TO END HOMELESSNESS AND
36 TO ASSIST THE HOMELESS.

37 2. ADVISE THE PRIVATE SECTOR AND THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF GOVERNMENT OF
38 PROGRAMS AND POLICIES PERTAINING TO HOMELESSNESS.

39 3. REVIEW HOMELESSNESS PROGRAMS AND SERVICES TO ENSURE EFFICIENT AND
40 COORDINATED USE OF RESOURCES.

41 4. SUBMIT PERIODIC REPORTS CONCERNING HOMELESSNESS ISSUES, INCLUDING
42 AN ANNUAL REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR, THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
43 AND THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 31. THE COMMITTEE

1 SHALL PROVIDE A COPY OF THE ANNUAL REPORT TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE AND THE
2 DIRECTOR OF THE ARIZONA STATE LIBRARY, ARCHIVES AND PUBLIC RECORDS.

3 Sec. 2. Delayed repeal

4 Section 41-1292.04, Arizona Revised Statutes, as added by this act, is
5 repealed from and after December 31, 2016.